

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Brian J. Roberts and David B. Petch

Serial No.: 09/738,234

Examiner: Clark F. Dexter

Filed: December 15, 2000

Group No.: 3724

For: COUNTER TOP TICKET DISPENSER, DISPLAY, AND WRITING STAND (as amended)

COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
2. Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
 Enclosed is a verified statement to establish small entity status.
 Other Than a Small Entity.
3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL	*	MINUS	**		x 9	\$
INDEP.	*	MINUS	***		x40	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+135	\$
				TOTAL FEE	\$	TOTAL FEE

* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
 ** If the "Highest No. Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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The "Highest No. Previously Paid for" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

No additional fee for claims is required.

Total fee for claims required \$_____.

4. Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____.

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5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension <u>(months)</u>	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 390.00	\$ 195.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 890.00	\$ 445.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,390.00	\$ 695.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,890.00	\$ 945.00

Fee: \$ 55.00

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

An extension for months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

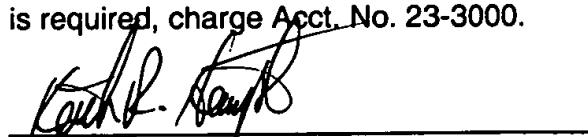
Extension fee due with this request \$ 55.00.

OR (b)

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

If any additional fee for claims or extension is required, charge Acct. No. 23-3000.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated December 4, 2001, and the personal interview with Examiner on March 5, 2002.

In the Title

Please replace the present title with the following: "Counter Top Ticket Dispenser, Display, and Writing Stand."

In the Abstract

Please replace the first and second sentences with the following re-written sentences: